



# THE SAN FRANCISCO-OAKLAND BAY BRIDGE SEISMIC SAFETY PROJECTS

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BAY AREA TOLL AUTHORITY

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## BAY BRIDGE WESTBOUND DECK WILL BE CLOSED

**Presidents' Day Weekend 2012**

**8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 17 – 5 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 21**

### WEATHER MAY SLOW CONSTRUCTION AND DELAY THE REOPENING OF THE WESTBOUND DECK

#### GETTING AROUND

Motorists will not be able to drive on the upper deck towards San Francisco during this closure but the lower deck toward the East Bay will remain open. Motorists have numerous alternatives for getting to San Francisco and for traveling around the Bay Area while the upper deck of the Bay Bridge is closed during Presidents' Day weekend. Motorists should allow extra time for travel and use of other bridges, including the Golden Gate Bridge, the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge, the San Mateo-Hayward Bridge and the Dumbarton Bridge. Vehicle access between San Francisco and Yerba Buena Island/Treasure Island will be maintained during the closure.

*For updates on other transit options, including ferries, BART and AC Transit, be sure to visit [511.org](http://511.org) or call 511 for real-time traffic conditions. Check back often for the latest updates.*

#### BART (BAY AREA RAPID TRANSIT)

BART will run overnight service at select stations during the closure. Stations on the El Cerrito - Dublin hourly service route are El Cerrito del Norte, Berkeley, MacArthur, 12th Street, Coliseum, Bay Fair and Dublin/Pleasanton.

Stations on the Concord - SFO hourly service route are Concord, Walnut Creek, MacArthur, 12th Street, Embarcadero, Powell, 24th Street, Daly City and SFO

More information available at [bart.gov](http://bart.gov)

#### FERRY SERVICE

Alameda-Oakland Ferry, Alameda Harbor Bay Ferry and Vallejo Baylink Ferry will run additional ferries during the closure.

More information at [eastbayferry.com](http://eastbayferry.com) and [baylinkferry.com](http://baylinkferry.com)

#### AC TRANSIT

AC Transit will not be running Transbay Service during the closure.

More information available at [actransit.org](http://actransit.org)

#### Alternate Routes into San Francisco

All other bridges will remain open during Presidents' Day Weekend.



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Learn more about the bridge closure and the vital seismic retrofit at [BayBridgeInfo.org](http://BayBridgeInfo.org)



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### ALIGNMENT CHANGE AFTER TOLL BOOTHS

During the closure, crews will complete a westbound detour near the Toll Plaza; motorists will experience a slight alignment change as traffic is shifted to the south and away from construction of the easternmost part of the new East Span.

In May 2011, crews realigned eastbound lanes by building a detour near the Toll Plaza for traffic heading to the East Bay. Once eastbound traffic had been safely shifted, workers began building the westbound detour, which will go into effect at the end of Presidents' Day weekend.

### FINISHING THE OAKLAND TOUCHDOWN

Shifting traffic onto the detours will allow construction of the new East Span to be completed ahead of schedule. Currently, the new eastbound lanes are blocked by the original bridge's westbound lanes. With westbound traffic safely moved to the new alignment, crews can safely finish the easternmost part of new bridge and open the new span to all motorists in late 2013.



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## Detours Will Allow Completion of Eastbound Roadway and Opening of Entire Bridge in 2013

